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No. 3132

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1892.

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HEAD OFFICE. No. 2 OFFER'S ROAD WEST, Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

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GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

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Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE LONG RANGE CUP and SPOONS will be Shot for TO-MORROW, April 30th, at 2.45 PM.

Hon: Secretary. Hongkong, 28th April 2802.

WANTED.

DY a MECHANICAL ENGINEER a situa-D tion—not sea-going. Aged 30, and a good Draughtsman. University education; at present in Government employ. Address,

plot Hongkong Telegraph " Office. Hongkong 14th April 7792 NOTICE OF REMOVAL

Office of the undersigned will removed to No. 35, WELLINGTON STREET, on the 1st of May, 1892.

Duddel! Street Hengkong, 11th April, 1802.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

A. R. MARTY.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A N INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1801 has been declared. WARRANTS may be had on Application at the Office of the SOCIETY on and after the 5th

By Order of the Board,

N. J. EDE. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1802.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED. ISSUE OF 10,000 NEW SHARES OF Sto EACH.

TOURSUANT to Resolution, the GENERAL MANAGER of A. S. WATSON & Co. LIMITED, hereby invites applications from the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company for the ISSUE of 10,000 NEW SHARES of \$10 each at a Premium of 50 per cent., or \$15 n Share.

Each Registered Shareholder on the 31st day of May next applying for the NEW ISSUE will be entitled to One Share for every Five Shares registered in his name. Shares remaining unallotted in respect of incomplete numbers of Five Shares and Shares not applied for by those entitled to apply, will be allotted among the

General Manager and the Company's staff.
Applications for Shares in the NEW ISSUE will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, Banking Corporation in Hongkone from the 1st Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, to the 4th day of June next, both days inclusive, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for and the whole amount applied for will be payable on application.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 4th day of June next, both days inclusive.

The present paid up Capital-of-the-Company is \$500,000 divided into 50,000 Shares of \$10. each, and the NEW ISSUE is required to increase the Capital of the Company to \$600,000 divided into 60,000 Shares of \$10 each.

The whole of the premium received from the NEW ISSUE will be placed to the credit of the Permanent Reserve Fund.

The last Dividend paid by the Company was on the 5th November, 1891, being an Interim Dividend at the rate of 14 per cent, per annum on account of that year, and the Final Dividend for 1801 will be payable in May next. The NEW ISSUE will rank for the Interim Dividened to be declared in November next on account of

Forms of application for the NEW ISSUE can be obtained at the COMPANY'S OFFICES over the Hongkong Dispensary or at the Hongkong AND SHANGHAY BANK.

By 'Order. A. H. MANCELL,

Hongkong, 7th April, 1802.

To be Let.

TO LET. FIRST FLOOR, No 64, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, suitable for OFFICES.

Apply to Messis, G. FALCONER & Co.; LAI HING & Co.,

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TO. 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. "TUSCULUM," MAGAZINE GAP. Nos. 2, 4, & 10, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 29th April, 1892.

TO LET. FROM IST APRIL. "STILLINGFLETE."

LIVE ROOMED detached HOUSE on Peak THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

& AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, 5th March, 1892.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING Die COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOS. 12, 13, & 14. KNUTSFORD TER-I V RACE, KOWLOON. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

& AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 27th April, 1892 AND LET,

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Honokone, 23rd April 1802

HONGRONG

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R. TUCKER,

Hongkong, 12th February, 1802. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

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TEW MADRAS MUSLINS. N TEW SUMMER CRETONNES.

NEW SUMMER CURTAINS. TOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS,

ONE THOUSAND PAIRS, from \$2.00 per pair. ALL LAST YEARS PATTERNS GREATLY REDUCED.

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ENTLEMENS' OUTFITTING, select but inexpensive variety. SPORTING GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS and AMMUNITION.
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Hongkong, 27th April, 1892. G. FALCONER & CO. WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANU. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS No. 48 Owen's Reed Central 486

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SURGEON DENTIST, No. 10, D'AGUILAR STREET. TERMS VERY MODERATE STANGED SECTION FROM WOULD IN Hongkong, 19th Match, 1891.

Masonic.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS HALL, Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 2nd May, at 8.30 for q p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 25th April, 1802.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW,

the 30th April, 1892, at 2.30 P.M., on the Premises at Bowrington Foundry, East Point,

THE FOLLOWING

MACHINERY, STORES,

Steam Pumps, Donkey Pumps, Brass Deck Pumps, Iron and Copper Piping, 2 pair Boat Davits, a Anchors, I Tysack's Patent Anchor, 11" and 11" Cable Chain (suitable for Moorings), I" Stud Chain (of Special Quality), Complete Taps and Dies; Steel Plates, Boiler and Stay Tubes, 24 by 5' on long; one lot Rifles

I Patent Powerful Steam Capstan Windlass, the Engine and Windlass are connected to one Plate: 2 Walker's Patent Feed Heaters, Spars,

All errors of description at Furchasers' risk on fall of hammer. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS.-Cash before delivery.

GORDON & Co. Auctioneers. Hongkong, 19th April, 1802.

IN THE COLONIAL COURT OF ADMIRALTY OF HONGKONG.

Suit No. 3 of 1892.

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED, Plaintiffs. Against The S. S. "TORRINGTON," THE Undersigned will (pursuant to a com-

Public Auction. MONDAY the 2nd day of May, 1892, at 12 o'clock, Noon, on board the vessel (unless previously

sold by private treaty)

mission for sale issued herein) Sell by

The Iron Screw Steamship "TORRINGTON," gross tonnage 2,008, met register tonnage 1,563; as she now lies affoat in Hongkong harbour, and without Cargo, Coal, and Stores.
The vessel was built by Messrs, RAYLTON &

DIXON, at Middlesborough, in 1875, and classed 100 At at Lloyds. Length 206 feet 3 inches, breadth 36 feet inch, depth 25 feet 6 inches. Is fitted with one compound engine of 220 h.p. nominal, 800 h.p. effective, built by Messrs. RICHARDSON & SONS in 1874, diameter of cylinders h.p. 38'; l.p. 73'.

Stroke of piston 36. Two cylindrical multitubular iron boilers buil by RICHARDSON, of Hartlepool in 1875. Working pressure 65. Retubed in 1801. The engines and boilers were put in thorough repair and passed survey in Hongkong in

She has a collision bulkhead, and a watertight compartments. Total deadweight capacity, bunkers excluded, say Rice or Coal 2,500 tons. Accommodation for 40 First Class and 20 Second Class passengers.

Donkey boiler and, winches new 1886. She

is fitted with steam stearing gear, and has

February, 1802.

electric wires throughout, also condenser for fresh water. A steam launch will leave Pedder's wharf at 11.45 a.m. on the day of Sale to convey intending purchasers on board the said steamship.

F. A. HAZELAND. Marchal. Colonial Court of Admiralty of Hongkong. rst April, 1892.

Potels.

PEAK HOTEL.

THIS commodious and well appointed HOTEL has been leased by the Proprie tors of the "VICTORIA HOTEL," and will be opened on the rat of May next, and run confunction with the HOTEL in Queen's Roa thus enabling them to offer special inducement to Visitors and Residents.

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For full particulars as to rates, etc., apply to

The HOTEL has been thoroughly renovated

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Hongkong, 21st April, 1802. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamship

"MARIA TERESA," will leave for the above place on the 3rd May, at to o'clock a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Control Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

THE Steamship "BRECONSHIRE." Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 18th May, For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL CARLILL & Co. Hongkong, 26th April, 1892.

THE "MO" STEAMSHIP LINE HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

TIME TABLE (REVISED).

THE Company's Screw Steamship Capt. CHRISTIAN, will run to and from MACAO as under :--Leave Hongkong, Arrive West Point What Macae. Leave Arrive; Macae, Hongkong,

MONDAY,...... 7.30 TUESDAY. WEDNESDAY, ... THURSDAY,.... FRIDAY SATURDAY..... SUNDAY.

* SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES will be charged for the Round Trip to MACAO and back, when sufficient inducement offers, on SUNDAYS, and the time of departure from Macao will then be altered to suit pleasure parties. FARES: First-class, \$1:50 each way; Second-

class, 60 cents; Deck, 40 cents.

Meals and Liquors provided on board, for the convenience of Passengers, at strictly moderate Passage tickets may be had on board.

For Freight, Passage or further particulars SUI KEE CHAN, No. 53, Bonham Strand, West. Hongkong, 26th April, 1802.

Consignees.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel

"CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO"

will be landed and stored at Consigners risk and expense. J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hongkong, 28th April, 1802. SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

s.s. "flintshire,"

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all. Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the and prox., will be subject

and/or from the wharves delivery may be

All claims against the Steamer must be prosented to the Undersigned on or before the and prox., or they will not be recognised. to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the and prox, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 25th April, 1892.

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Attention is called to the following advantages to Ships' Owners, and Captains, who coal their bunkers direct from the Undersigned >--FRESHNESS of the coal. UNIFORMITY of quality.

FREEDOM from impurities. Supply in any quantity on shortest notice.
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In ordering is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted,

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| B | John Jameson's Fine Old, | 18 |
| * | Green Capsule 10 | 1.00 |
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Good Leeward Island., \$1.50 per Gallon. LIQUEURS. Benedictine Maraschine Heering's Cherry Cordial Curacoa Chartreuse Dr. Slegert's Angostura Bitters, &c. PRICES ON APPLICATION,

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MARRIAGE.

opinions thus expressed.

On the 19th April, at the Builsh Episcopal Church, Foochow, by the Ven. Archdeacon Wolfe, assisted by the Rev. L. Lloyd, CHARLES S. MOORE, Esq., of Frochew, to MARY LAWRANCE LANCASTER LARKEN. only surviving daughter of the late Thomas L. Larken-Esq., and stepdaughter, of R. R. Westall, Esq., both of that

The hongkong Helegraph

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1892.

TELEGRAMS.

MR. GLADSTONE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

LONDON, April 20th. Mr. Gladstone has issued a pamphiet against female suffrage. He declares that neither the public nor women desire reform in this direction. but admits the fitness of some women to perform masculine offices. The great Lil ral statesman fears that women will lose refinement and purity by mixing in the turmoil connected with masculine life.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE French filgate Triomphanie arrived at Amoy from Salgon on the 23rd inst,

NOTHING of importance re the trouble at Pahang in the Singapore papers received this morning. WOODYEAR'S Royal Australian Circus, by latest

advices from Amoy; continues, to do good

business at that port. THE silk per R.M.S. Empress of Japan, which sailed from Hongkong on March 29th, was delivered in New York on the 28th lost.

A TELEGRAM received by the Japanese Foreign Office states that the Italian Ministry has resigned and the Marquis di Ruc'ni is forming another Cabinet.

A MEETING of the Diligentia Lodge of Instruction will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Thursday, the 5th proximo, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

A REMARKABLE old skipper, Capt. Geo. N Aimstrong, of whose thrilling experiences we published a brief summary on the roth last., left by the Oceanic yesterday for Yokohama where he will, we understand, take over command of the ship North American which is loading for New York.

IT is reported that in Province Dent (British North Borneo) the 1891 paddy crops on the coast proved a partial failure. Rats hav been most destructive throughout the Prayince during the year under review, and failures have been reported on all the rivers. Pepper planting was not carried on with much vigour owing to a fall in prices in the Singapore markets.

THE Band of the 1st Shropshire Regt. will play the following programme at the Officers' Mess this evening, commencing at 8 p.m.:-

MR. John Newell Jordan, who has so ally filled has, according to our Shanghai morning of the British Legation at Peking, in succession to Mr. Waiter C. Hilller, promoted to the rank of Consul-General in Corea on the 1st of October last year, by the abolition of the post of Assistant Chinese Secretary at Paking.

THUS the Singapore Free Press on the Editor of the rival journal, the Straits Times :-To A. R.

With abject applogies to the author of "LAPSUS CALAMI."

Will there never come a ser-ton Which shall rid us of the curse Of an "Orang Kayab's " tresson And a swiftly dwindling purse : When the Straits shall cease to wonder At the ravings of an ass,

And each editorial blunder To acceptuate the farce. When Pahang shall be delive ed. From the "line-a-penny's " splean, And our nerves no more be shivered

By Raub's daily bulletin: When the "Straits Times" lies a dying Mute beside the Tras-ian Bore : When the "are note" cease from lying, And the Frazers phrase no more?

THE Shanghai Mercury of April 25th says 1-We learn from Tientsin that the Viceroy Li lordship, you may have done your best, but it's not see any reason to refuse it, so let him go. It with one particular concern. Either he depositors in those institutions to day. The Hung-chang has just granted a concession to a darned bad judgment, anyway !" And then was unusual. Messrs. Tong King-sing and Can Yu-chi to she peacefully departed on her way heaven- Mok Lai Chi, interpreter and clerk in the not at all. The Dairy Farm got an advertisoopen the Manchurian gold mines in the region wards. of the late disturbance, and that the latter fast and as much as they c'n make daily, which is about thirty tons, but 'his quantity will be doubled when snother workman strives varied responsibilities, and a cora one brain to way Company. This is a good record and will mittee of to cause his countrymen to place confidence in the [4 propos d gold mining enterprise

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Royal mail steamer Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Japan and China on the 27th inst.

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co. Informs us that the Company's steamer Brightel left Bombay for this port on the 23rd lost.

THE Douglas Company's steamer Names arrived from coast ports to-day under command of Captain H. Bathurst, late chief officer of the

LATEST conundrum from the Righte:-Q.-Why is Hongkong a synonym for Hades? A .- Because you enter through Sulphur

Channel, and once in you can't get out again. THE King of Siam will, according the Sings Pres Press, follow the example of some of his Oriental contemporaries (dotably that curious personage "the Shah " and tour through the Great West.

THERE will be communion at the Peak Church on Sunday morning next at 8 e'clock, when Blahop Burdon will officiate. The same service will be continued on the first Sunday of every month throughout the summer.

In ve Rose v. Mc. Dermott, \$1,000 wages due, Mr. Holmes to-day appeared in the Summary Court on behalf of the plaintiff to ask permission of the Court for the hearing to stand over until a petition for probate is filed. Granted.

RUDYARD KIPLING crossed from Vancouver to Yokohama by the Empress of India, just arrived, with his wife, who was a sister of the late Wolcott Balestier. a promising young American novelist, recently deceased at Dresden.

THE Pacific Mail Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Yandro ran a trial trip prior to leaving San Francisco on her latest voyage and succeeded in recording 17 knots for an hour's run, which was a very satisfactory performance and places the old Rio not so very far behind the flying clippers of modern days.

As soon as Vice-Admiral Fremantis hoisted his flag on the Imperiouse this morning the guns of the Viadimir Monemach bellowed forth their noisy salute; the compliment being returned by the British flagship in the usual way. That's how it was that the whole town was disturbed at 8 s.m.—only that, and nothing more.

"OAREMAN":-We would recommend you to inquire at the Harbour Office. It certainly sq-ms strange that "Dr. Doberck's chartered yacht Arrow should soud about the harbour fiving the Colonial ensign, seeing that she is not a Government vessel. But there must be some reason, and possibly a valid one, for what appears to you to be "another gross irregularity."

A LENGTHY communication from our Macao correspondent is unavoidably "crowded out," as are some other correspondence and news items for which we hope to find room to-morrow. The Samshu Farm trouble in the Holy City, appears, still threatens danger, and the problem cannot be satisfactorily solved until May rat, the date on which the Farm starts active operations.

IT is interesting to note from the report of the Douglas Co.'s steamer Namea, which vessel arrived from the Coast Ports this morning, that when she left the Min river on the 26th inst. the Chinese Northern Fleet was very much in evidence in that locality. There were three fron-clads and a worden corvette at Pagoja Anchorage, and the Admiral's flag-ship and another big iron-clad at Sharp Peak. Hongkong will probably be shortly favored with a visit from these "terrors of the Eastern Seas,"

WITH reference to the alleged collapse of publicly denied with some show of authority, we serious damage. The sides of the dock did the posts of Assistant Chinese Secretary and alarming to have caused a good deal of were to be paid by gambling houses. Nobedy Court.

kong Share Market.

before me." The fair Eva muttered something that not get the money.

A. Lowson

In connection with the alleged conspiracy case. Witness said to the watchman, 'If you spoke to against Gwoon Sing, which has caused such the interpreter why did not you ask him to take commotion amongst the Chinese inhabitants of you to see the Inspector to take out a warrant?" Sydney and suburbs, a Chinese gardener named Ah Chew surrendered himself to the Sydney | witness said I will give you a note and request police on the 22nd ulto. He makes the fourth | the interpreter to let you see the Inspector, and Chinaman who will be tried for conspiracy. Ab you may tell him the full particulars.! The note Chew, one of the alleged conspirators, was was written in English. The next morning brought before the Water Police Court on the the watchman called on witness at his agrd and remanded to the auth, on which day | house and told him that it was his (watchman's) the hearing of what will prove sensational details | duty to report the matter to the head district made great preparations for their defence.

THE sixteenth ordinary general meeting of the pambling houses in his district. As the head North China Insurance Co., Ltd., was held in | district watchman never made any report against. the head office, Shanghai, on April 25th. Mr. any one of them and as there were two district E. H. Lavers presided, and there was a large watchmen who dealt with everifing lottery attendance of shareholders, representing in all tickets he was afraid if he reported this case to 1.811 shares. After some questions and explana- them nothing would come of it. Witness tions the Chairman proposed and Mr. H. R. instructed the watchman to give that as a reason Hearn seconded the adoption of the Report and for going to him and not to the head district Accounts, which was carried. Mesers. Brand, watchman, His reseon for not telling the Hearn, Holliday, Lavers, Little, McLeod and Registrar General was to save the many and Seaman were re-elected Directors for the current | afterwards he forgot to sell the Registrar General year at a remuneration of taels 6,000, and Mesirs. Till after the arrest White and Burman were re-elected as Auditors. Some questions as to the re-constitution of the Company and the reduction of capital were then informally discussed, and the meeting separated.

WEISING LOTTERY PROSECU-TION.

INTERESTING REVELATIONS.

Eight Chinese were brought before Mr. Wodehouse at the Magistracy this afternoon charged with being concerned in the management of a common gaming house at No. 10 Bird Street on or about the 2nd April. Mr. Johnson (Crown Solicitor) prosecuted and Mr. Wotton defended. The case was first brought up on Wednesday last. The evidence was to the following effect :---. John Green, detective, gave formal evidence

.It appeared that this was a branch of the Macao weising farm.

William Baker, acting inspector, also gave formal evidence of the selzure. Chan Ming Knip gaming house, even it asleep, must be held charge room interpreter, was present, but witness | guilty. Farther, the tickets and papers found thought this was unusual. Chan said Inspector Matheson sent him, but the Inspector said he did | tions, nothing to show that they were not all old

son gave him instructions at the same time as | gambling, but notto money locked up in a drawer he sent Inspector Baker. He said 'Go and see if as in this case. He submitted that nothing at the police succeed in making arrests.' This all was really proved in the nature of an offence was because he interpreted the information given to Mr. Mathleson by district watchman 32, Chan Sing, on the 12th inst. that there was a the case was left on Wednesday there was Weising lottery at 10 Bird Street and 69 certain evidence produced which only had Jervois Street. The district watchman gave him | material bearing on the case so far as it tended a letter from Mok Lai Chi, the interpreter in the to show that there might be a conspiracy, on Registrar General's Office, saying that the watch- the part of those who had initiated the prosecuman knew that there was a Weising gambling thon, to bring a false charge. That defence, house, and asking witness to take the watchman however, had not been set up, and all that was to make a report to the police. He took him at left for the Court to decide was whether this was once. This was about 2.30 p.m. on the 12th a gambling house or not, and if it was, whether inst. He did not keep the letter, but tore it up. | and in what degree the prisoners were concerned in Mr. Matheson told the watchman to make sure | ti. After hearing all that had been said, and examiand to come back again. He came on the 14th | ning Ord. 7 of 1891, he decided that the house

11.30 on the 16th inst.

in English. It was usual for witness to go and to the contrary, that they were there for the see the police make arrests. He was once before. purpose of gaming, it was left to the Court instructed by Mr. Matheson to do the same. to decide who appeared to be the manager, That was in the summer of last year. He had The second defendant, whose cost was bung never seen the district watchman before. This up in the house, appeared to occupy some was the first time Mok Lai Chi had ever written prominent position, and the first, who was him a letter like this. The letter was in English | found with papers in his hand, was evidon English paper. There was no chop. He ently the head man, His Worship theicfore the did not show the letter or mention it to Mr. fined the first defendant \$250, or in default six sill of the dock at Port Arthur, which has been Mathieson, and he destroyed the letter two or months; second \$25, or two month and 4th, 5th, three minutes after receiving it. The district and 6th, \$10 or 14 days, and the 7th and 8th, who are in receipt of reliable advices from the North watchman gave him the letter outside the were caught coming away, not actually with the to the effect that the dock has actually sustained window. There were two clerks in the room at others, were discharged. The money was all the time. He did not show them the letter or | forfeited, including \$210 in silver dollars, broken collapse and their weight forced up a considerable tell them he had received it. He thought it silver bullion, and small change, all found in portion of the bottom, rendering it necessary to curious that Mok Lai Chi should write to him. have two large pumps contantly at work in order. He knew an ex-P.C. named Wong Kem. He packages, labelled with hong names, and conto prevent the leakage from obtaining the never at any time spoke to Wong Kam about mastery. When our advices left, the leakage this case. He never heard of Lo Chong from was not under the control of the ordinary dock | Macao. He never spoke to Wong Kam about drain-pump, and the situation was sufficiently gambling houses, nor about certain fees that Acting Chinese Secretary for the past five years, uneasiness amongst the officials at Port Arthur. | paid him a sum of \$30 in June, September, or November last year or in January this year. It comtemporary, been appointed Chinese Secretary A waw days ago we stated that an enterprising was not a fact that he had been receiving for navigator in the service of "King" O'Keefe at some time \$120 per annum in connection with Yap (Caroline Islands) had "seen " his lord and | gambling houses. It was not a fact that he master badly; getting clean away with the asked that the \$120 might be increased to \$400 last. Inspired no doubt by economical motives, schooner-rigged flagship Santa Cruss and a lot a year. He never saw Wong Kam or stranged, and following the precedent adopted in Japan of what is known in those far-away Islands as with him that he should be the medium for getting presided and there were also present the Director 'trade.' . We now learn that another of Captain snyamount paid to witness. Anybody saying that | of Public Works, the Captain Superintendent of O'Keefe's employes has skipped from Yap with witness had spoken to Wong Kam about gambling Police, the Colonial Surgeon, Dr. Cantlle, Messrs. Government has likewise abolished that of the 27 ton schooner O. S. Fowler, with \$10,000 and receiving money would be a liar. He had Francis, Humphreys, Ede, and H. McCallum, dollars, a lot of pearls, and so picule of becks. I heard that Wong Kam was employed by the secretary. de-mer. Even an absolute monarch of all he | Macso Welsing Farm to pay money to the surveys, as our worthy friend O'Keefe undoubt- police to keep quiet. He heard that two months phobia reported. Dr. Ayres thought there was November 25th, 1780, that is il they can locate edly is in his own domains, can 'get left' ago and reported it at once to Mr. Matheson. He | no occasion for alarm, though it would be as her. To back up the scheme the Leominster occasionally. The 'confidence trick,' when could not say whether it was or not, but he properly manipulated, knocks honesty as high believed it to be true. He was told by P. S. The subject was dropped. -cr. yes, as high as the once greatly vaunted Wing Shing, P. S. Chan Cheong, P. C. 175 morality of the would be boodlers of the Hong. Cheong Shing, and P. C. 326 Tsing On. He was pigs were referred to the Colonial Veterinary to something like \$4,000,000 in return for \$10,000. told at different times in the course of a fortnight. It was not told him specially but was Miss Eva Saunders appeared in the Supreme talked of throughout the force. He knew a of Mr. Ladds' position as veterinary surgeon | Rev. Samuel J. Cotton of Caroush was to-day Court this morning before Mr. Justice Clarke as person Yu Sul Sam, but did not know whedefendant in a suit brought by her late boy ther or not he was a friend of Wong Kam. Yu This appointment was tentative, for three Brown, and of charges of cruelty. Cotton is who claimed \$8 as balance of wages and chow | Sui Sam had no occupation. He kept a gam- months, now expired. chow' money. His lordship, after carefully bling club of which witness gave information to investigating the pros and cons of the matters Mr. Mathieson. He could not remember when poned and that Mr. Ladds be asked to report on conducted an orphanage. It was proved he illat issue, delivered judgment for the boy, with he told Mr. Mathieson. The Club was not | the terms of his engagement, what time he had costs-in all eleven Mexican dollars. No sooner | broken up He never had any conversation | given to each branch of duties, etc., so as to had his lordship pronounced the adverse judg- with Yu Sui Sam about this house nor about any Judge whether his public duty was injured by his ment than the young lady began to comment on other house. It was not a fact that witness gave private post. This should be put in writing; for it a la Francis, Q.C. and in a manner that caused information about this house in revenge for not reference, and the Board could then report to the the learned occupant of the bench to gently being paid \$40%. He never asked anyone to Government. Mr. Francis strongly opposed the exclaim-" Now, don't say anything sude! I've negotiate about it. He never threatened any dual position, though he would like to see the given the best judgment I can with the materials one that he would give information if he did official post better paid. didn't altogether resemble a prayer, and after | Inspector Matheson said the last witness of want of time to do both dutier, but

watchman 32 and was acquainted with Chan could not get. It was not fair to the others, gentleman has come to Shangh i to float a WHEN the ubiquitous "reps" of the Telegraph Ming Kul. He gave the district watchman a Mr. Ede seconded Mr. Francis' motion. company to engage in the und.; sking. Mr. | are solicited for a free "ad" they generally letter to give to Chan Ming Kul. In that letter Tong King-sing has proved a competent organ dismiss the subject (and the seedy-looking he stated that this house was kept as a sucking needed was already to hand, and he moved that nizer and a successful administrator, and as the applicant) with a word or two in season to the gambling house, and saked Chan Ming Kui to the Government be informed that in the opinion precious metal undoubtedly abounds in that effect that times are too hard to admit of much | take the district watchman to the Inspector to get | of the Board it was not desirable that the Colonial part of Manchuris, the prospects of success philanthropy. But when the marine man got a warrant. The watchman told witness that if a Veterinary continue to act as consultant to 040 are highly encouraging. In con mining that hold of the Hongkong Smoking Concert Club's warrant was not issued at once he was afraid he | the Diary Farm or any other private venture. gentleman's achievements have ten remark express issued this afternoon he rushed into the would not get it by and be asked wit- unless he could practice generally for all seand able, and now we learn that silver mining editorial sanctum sanctorum shouting, "Eco's ness what he would do. It was not the practice further, that in view of the new duties devolving has already commenced to pay its way. Yet a hitem, boss' ! Shall I run -it in ? " Wes, of the office for district watchmen to give infor on Mr. Ladds in connection with the Vaccine more successful is the Tang-shon Cement if there's room," was the laconic reply of the mation and for witness to write to another Farm it would be better to allow him a higher Works, which turn out a very sure lor quality chief, and so here it is in all its original fresh. He did not know why the watch- salary (and no private practice). of that article, The Company is selling as ness :- ... man reported the matter to him instead of The Chairman agreed that it was not fair to MOTICE TO MEMBERS. ... following the usual course. It was not part give any one company an advantage. He The next Concert will take place on Saturday, of his duty to receive information of gambling. seconded Mr. Humphreys' amendment May 7th, in St. Andrew's Hall at 9.15 p.m .- houses from district watchmen. In the Mr. Cooper said there was no reason to be- here, has falled with liabilities amounting to from England. Mr. Tong King-sing must have Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. Barrow in the ordinary course of things it was their duty lieve Mr. Ladds' public duties were interiered \$135,000 and assets not worth \$10. Baron you Atlantean shoulders to bear the weight of his chair. Fans will be provided. The attention of a few members is again | would report to the Registrar General or his | yented from getting his services. He moved an division Suffolk, is among the creditors. He has discharge his dules so advirably. He is requested to Rule VI. "Each member is assistant, Witness reported this case, but not amendment to recort to the Government to that a claim of \$4000 against Dinkelspiel. Director of the Chinese Engines by and Mining | allowed to invite one visitor who must be loud | at the time. The watchman said he had already | effect, recommending continuance of the present Company, which owns collie les ; the Jebol Rde non-resident in the Colony." Chaps, play reported the case to the police. He said he had ar, angament. He thought it not right to laquire Silver Mines, and the Tangahan Cement Works, fair on this rule in Members still enrolled—for been asked by the police interpreter, and he told | into Mr. Ladde' work for the Dairy Farm. Besides this he is a Director of the China Rall. information apply to any member of the Com- him about a certainhouse being kept as a swelstag | Dr. Ayres seconded to the line information apply to any member of the Comwarrant at once. The watchman did not come | Co., said the directors would be very glad to see

The district watchman did not tell him why, and was to be commenced. The four Chinamen have watchman, but that he was afraid that if he did he would not have a case as the h. d. w. was bribed. He told witness there were many weising

SEATINGS

How Kun Ging police court interpreter, read a number of vames on letters of application for tickets, corresponding with names, some having numbers appended, in the lists found in the

Chan Sing, district watchman 32, remembered | Minister at Tokio, to whom the thanks of the going on April 2nd with Insp. Baker to No. 10 Bird Street, first floor, a little after noon. Could been received from the Japanese authorities, not get to the second floor, as there was a trap- who write as follows to H. M. Minister :door, and the people above would not open it. Witness then detailed the arrest of the prisoners of the prefectures concerned have expressed the and seizure of the papers, etc.

to be a gaming house within the meaning of the Ordinance. The first and second prisoners were be so good as to bring this expression of their clearly maniging the place, and the rest dealing in the tickets. Nothing else was found to explain what the house was used for or what the defendants were doing there.

... Mr. Wotton urged that, except in the care of the first and second prisoners, there was absolu Hung Kam Sing, police court interpreter, utely no evidence of any offence, and as to those translated and explained the documents selzed. two there was only very slight evidence, not enough to convict them of being in any way connected with the house. According to Mr. Johnson's contention, any person found in a had no reference to present or future transacand by-gone. The Ordinance dealt with money Chan Ming Kul said Chief Inspector Mathine- found on the person of the manager, or others under the Ordinance.

. In giving judgment, his Worship said that as inst, and again saw Mr. Matheson; also at | was kept for gaming, and though there was no direct evidence to show what all the prisoners Cross-examined-He spoke to I spector Ma- were doing, by the wording of the Ordinance he heson in English, and received his instructions | was bound to conclude in the absence of evidence drawer, besides which a number of small taining small " discounts" on prizes, were also Mr. Wolton asked if his Worship had any

objection to stating a case for the Supreme

His Worship said he had no objection. THE SANITARY BOARD.

The usual fortnightly meeting of this Board was held this afternoon. The Registrar General

well if many stray mongrels could be killed.

Considerable discussion arose on the question

Mr. Humphreys also objected, not on ground cogitating for a moment, remarked "Well, your saked leave to go with Baker, and witness did because Mr. Ladde had identified himself savings banks at Ballarat caused a panic among should be allowed private practice altogether, or | banks were ready to meet all demands, and after Registrar General's Office, said he knew district | ment free, and a great advantage which its rivals

Mr. Humphreys thought all the coformation of his recovery,

Mr. Francis said the arrangement was made on a distinct understanding that the Board should after three months closely inquire into the matter. Mr. Cooper's motion to make no inquiry would stuitify the Board, "The original recommendation of the double appointment was made by the chairman without the authority of the Board, and Mr. Francis would vote for the concellation of the Dairy Farm appointment, but that he wished for full information.

Mr. Cooper's amendment was lost by 5 to 2. Mr. Humphreys' amendment was lost by 4 to 2. Mr. Ffancial original motion was carried by to 3-Messrs. Francis, Cantile, Ede, and Gordon for, Messrs. Humphreys, Stewart-Lockbart, and Cooper against, Dr. Ayres not

The other proceedings of the Board were no of great interest. The Board adjourned for a fortnight.

JAPAN BARTHQUARE RELIBE

The Committee beg to inform the subscribers to this fund that it was closed on the gist March, the last remittance being then made. The total amount collected was \$5 346.13, all of which, with the exception of \$7.70 for printing and stamps, has been forwarded through H. M. Committee are due. Acknowledgements have

"The sufferers by the disaster and the Governors deep sense of gratitude which they feel for the Mr. Johnson submitted that this was proved kindly generosity displayed by the donors to whose notice they beg that your Excellency will thanks." Below is the honorary (reasurer's statement of account.

WALTER JUDD, Hon. Secretary.

\$5,345.13

Hongkong, 29th April, 1892.

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Hon. Treasurer. March 22nd, 1892.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this column).

THE RECENT BOXING TOURNAMENT TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGROUG TELEGRAPE." DEAR SIR,-I have heard from a good authority that the late Boxing Tournament. promoted by Mr. E. T. Rebinson, did not prove sufficiently successful to enable the promoter to clear expenses, which I feel sure would be very heavy in connection with such a display. I am sure it was about the best exhibition of boxing ever seen in the Far East, and the promoter deserves every credit for the trouble he must

have taken in getting together such good talent and furthering the noble and manly art, Considering that Mr. Robinson did his best to make it' a success I do not think it would be fair to allow such a sportsman to be at any loss whatever in connection with the above exhibition and therefore, as a lover of sport, I beg to enclose \$5 towards a fund to meet the deficiency.

Yours faithfully, HELPMATE.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1892. We have received \$5 and shall gladly acknowledge any further amounts for the same purpose. It is certainly hard lines on Mr. Robinson, that, after all the trouble he took, he should be out of pocket in his laudable attempt to encourage a manly pastime -Ed., Telegraph.]

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

BOSTON, March 20th. A company has been formed in Leominster. Mass, which will try to raise the British frigate Some discussion arose out of a case of hydro- Husser, suck near Hell Gate, New York, on men have subscribed nearly \$7,000 of the \$10,000 capital. If the attempt to raise the Thirty seven applications for licences to keep | vessel is successful the investiment will yield

"After a sensational trial, lasting several days, both to the Government and to the Diary Farm. | found guilty of the manslaughter of a boy named almost 70 years of age. He has been a Mr. Francis moved that the question be post- Protestant minister for forty-five years. He treated the starved children. BRISBANE (Queensland), March 20th.

BELFAST, March 20th.

The Governor of Queensland in opening the Colonial Parliament to-day announced that as sufficient labor was not available to maintain the sugar, industry a bill would be premoted extending and regulating the labor of Pacific islands blacks for a period of ten years. MELEOURNE, Mach soth.

False reports concerning the condition of the some time the panic subsided. TORCHTO (Ont.), March 20th.

Ex-Premier Mackenzle's condition is not materially changed, but no hopes are entertained ZANETBAR, March 29th.

Captain Rogers of the British East African Company attacked the Witu people on the 18th inst, Ho failed to carry the stockeded stronghold and retired unmolested with three killed and ten wounded, including a British subject named Thompson. The fugitive says the enemy has twenty-three killed. LONDOW, March toth.

William Dinkelspiel, formerly an agent of the New York Life Insurance Company, who gained considerable notoriety in connection with insurance methods and who started in business Dinkelspiel succeeded in doing a very large

business in England, and probably got the New York Life office into about as much trouble here him about a certainhouse being kept as a speising Dr. Ayres seconded.

Lottery bouse. He added that he wanted a Dr. Canille, as a director of the Diary Farm Stern, include Colonel North, the mi rate king. Sto.coo | Sir William Parmer, Sooto Figher Hon: Secretary. on purpose to tell witness about this house, p. her people employing Mr. Ladds.

Brown, \$2065; Peter Dollar, livery stable keeper, who arrested Rayachol, and the restaurant-\$375 ; International fur, stores, \$375 ; Redfern, tailor, \$175; Mme. Schwabe, dressmaker, have received menacing letters. \$2400.

Some of these debts speak for themselves, Dinkelspiel's method was to get some provincial man to insure, as a deccy, on promise of in- following surcastic remarks: If the French only surence for nothing if he allowed his name to be used. Dinkelapiel lived in the West End in than half the injury they have suffered is forgot luxury. Most of the claims against him are ton, and the fastening of the blame on Ravachol legitimate.

The trial of the leaders of the Walsall anarchist conspiracy began te-day at the Staffords Ire assizes. Attorney-General Webster appeared for the prosecution, and after his address the court adjourned.

PARIS, March 30th. The Foreign Office, has learned through the elections in England will be held in July.

In accordance with the decision of the Government to adopt most stringent measures to suppress anarchists, orders for their expulsion from France to-day were communicated to forty leading foreign anarchists in Paris. No actual crime is charged, but the authorities are determined to prevent these men from committing violence here. They are known to be hand in glove with French anarchists, and it is believed they will be far less dangerous if driven from the country. Several other anarchists were warned a short time ago to leave France, but they paid | will not be until the Crimea arrives at Calais. no attention to the warning. They will be taken in charge by the police and conducted to the frontier.

RIO JANEIRO, March 30th. The latest news from the State of San Paulo is to the effect that a plot against the Government has been discovered and that the conspirators bave been arrested;

Congress has nominated a new Governor for Rio Gr. nde do Sul and in this way has quieted | for a long time past, were wound up to-day on the discontent of the inhabitants of that State. VIENNA, March 30th.

The police have charged Pernerstorier, the socialist leader in the lower house of the Reichsrath, with treason for utterances at a meeting of workingmen, claiming that he incited them to revolt against the Government.

LONDON, March 31st. The steamer Missouri from New York to Libau, with a cargo for the relief of the Russian famine sufferers, arrived at Gravesend to day. The freight collected for the transportation of cattle to be landed at Deptford will be turned Firman.

over to the Russian famine fund. The Lisbon correspondent of the Times telegraphs that the Minister of Public Works Intends to resign owing to a d'sterence of opinion with the Premier, who desires, in order to oblige France, to annul the contract of the English company to lay the Azores cable in favor of a

French syndicate. "the mail brings the details of the theatre fire in Cape Town which brought to such a disastrous end the tour of Mrs. Potter and Kyrle Bellew. They lost £1.500 worth of costumes and personal effects and £1,000 worth of jewelry, including Macready's dagger and other curios. Mrs. Potter lost Kean's dagger, which she were as Juliet.

The strike of the coal miners in Durham which began on March 12th will probably last fortnight longer. The coal shipping trade Sunderland, Seaham Harbor and Hartlepool entirely suspended. Trade elsewhere is greatly curtailed, and the iron and steel trade of Cleveland is at a standardly. Thousands of workmen at Stockton are idle, and hundreds of people are in a starving condition.

The trial of the six Walsall anarchists was continued at the Staffordshire Assizes. confession of Deakin, one of the prisoners, was read, in which he implicated his companions and declared the bombs they manufactured were intended for use in Russia.

that the Chinese Government has garrisoned all | distrust of the Powers and to allenste the attachthe mission districts in China and has promised ment of the Egyptians. In conclusion, it says prospects did not evoke much discussion in the to severely punish the perpetrators of outrages; that it is impossible that Egypt shall ever seturn in the future.

Paris, March 31st. A dispatch from Parte Novo states that 200 Dahomeyans have attacked Resenou. believed that the natives meditate attacks on Porto Novo and Kontonou, and the French have taken measure to repel the attacks.

NEW YORK, March 31st. Buteshire and Armadale from San Francisco to Dunkirk and Falmouth respectively, mentioned some days ago, when the vessels were reported sighted off Falkland only a mile spart, is caded. At that time the two ships had been fifty-six days out from San Francisco, and the Bulashira was then leading. A dispatch to the Maritime Exchange from Falmouth to-day announces the arrival of the Armadale at that port.

BERLIN, March 31st. The Reichstag was prorogued to-day. The speech closing the session was delivered by Dr. von Boetticher, secretary of the Imperial Home Office and representative of the Chancellor.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31st. Finance Minister Vishnegrasbki intends to issue a new loan of 75,000,000 rubles for the purpose of extending the railway system. FREIBERG, March 31st.

family of eight persons were burned to death in a house last night through the ignition of petroleum

ROME, March 31st. Railway travel is generally interrupted throughout upper Italy by flords. At Turin the floating baths were swept away and three persons were

drowned. At Monclierl the Po and Sangone sivers are now one vast lake three and a half miles broad. MELBOURNE, March 31st. . The publication of the details of the crimes of

Deeming has caused a most bitter feeling here, and the authorities fear a serious attempt to lynch him on his arrival, and are taking special measures to prevent it. LOYDON, April 1st.

The Unionists intend contesting every seat in Ireland at the next election. The object of this is to ascertain whether there has been a growing of Unionist opinion in that country. The Norwegian steamer Louiss has been lost | cholers.

off the north coast of Norway. The captain, officer, chief engineer and seven seamen were drowned. PARIS, April 1st.

ment of a portion of the late General Boulanger's increased four and a half per cent. The State | Hankow by the 5th of May, if wanted: There property, which belongs to his wife, has just assistance to education has cost over one mil- is the pull buyers will have this year, and that is been affirmed on appeal. The personalty of the lion sterling. late sky-rocket general and politician amounted to 115,772 francs, less debts to the amount of 19,700 francs. After the payment of the debts £90,253,000. The surplus is not sufficient to hope they won't throw away the advantage, and \$1000 probate charges, Mme Boulanger is admit of any remission of texation, but Mr. But surely there can't be any desire to rush awarded the entire balance. Under this decision Goschen proposes a small reduction in patent things this year? I know what losses are, and proposes a small reduction in patent things this year? I know what losses are, and proposes a small reduction in patent things this year? I know what losses are, and the Council be authorised to proceed MONDAY, the 9th day of May, 1892, at Eleven a single franc. The Surg Canal the payment of Tis. 2,500 loss on 200 half-chests.

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Strasbourg were startled this morning on being will borrow one million in 1892. bomb in front of the house. The police were at Three days state of siege has been proclaimed | troubling you with the sales of the Hankow disonce notified.

It is reported that a regular permit has been | Marshal Fonseca. discovered at the ledgings of Ravachol, the the permit. Mr. Dicab, the police commissary I Indians decisous of earling in South Australia. What do you think of the flavour?"

keeper and waiter who betrayed him to the police,

BERLIN, April 1st. The North German Gasette, commenting on the arrest of Rayachol, the anarchist, makes the know where a scapegoat is to be sought more as a German dastard, is so artistic that it is well worthy to be compared to the best culinary performances of France.

RANGOON, April 18t. The Mandalay fire broke out at o o'clock on Wednesday morning and raged fourteen hours The whole city is destroyed from 'Cina street to Obo, a distance of two and a half miles. The French Minister to Great Britain that the general | central telegraph station, built at a cost of 20,000 rupees, was destroyed. The other Government buildings and barracks escaped. There was no loss of life. Many thousands are homeless; and extensive relief work will be

> LONDON, April 2nd. The British steamer Crimes from Baltimore March 6th, passed Prawle point this morning. She signaled that the British steamer Maine, Captain Brown, from New Orleans, March 1st for Liverpool, had been burned at sea. No further particulars are at present obtainable, and The Maine was a vessel of 1,913 tons,

It is reported that ten lives have been lost through the wreck of the Norwegian steamer Louise, bound for the Lotoden Islands, near the famous macistrom. The captain, first officerand chief engineer went down with the vessel. The survivors have reached Bergen.

The affairs of C. D. Murietta & Co., limited, which company has been in financial difficulties the application of the Debenture Corporation.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

CAIRO, March 8th. The Sultan has telegraphed to the Khedive conferring on him the administration of Sinai nevertheless the Firman of investiture still remains unread. It is understood that the British and Italian Ambassadors at the Porte have addressed the Grand Vizier regarding the

Washington, April 8th.

President Harrison has left here. The resumption of the agreement between Great Britain and United States in regard to the

Behring Sea has been arranged. Mr. Springer has presented a bill to the House of Representatives to authorize the International Monetary Congress to meet at Chicago in my feet the while sinking into the thick pile of August 1893 for the purpose of discussing the a luxurious carpet. The furniture of the room selation of gold to silver, the weight and fineness of coins, and the adoption of universal coins. ounces of silver at 86.45 to 86.50.

LONDON, April oth. The Times states that General Kodolitsch, in an interview with a member of the Press at Vienna, spoke very highly of the progress made by the Indian Army since the Abyssinian campaign, and added that he never saw any cavalry their equal. He also enlogised Lord Roberts as Commander-in-Chief and considered him to be a fit successor of the late Lord Napler.

The Times of to-day, in an article, says that the conduct of the Porte regarding the investiture of Prince Abbas is most irritating and unmeaning, and adds that it would be probably dangerous, to the dignity and even independence of Egypt to acquiesce in the conditions of the Sultan's Firman without some previous knowledge of them. The article goes on to say that From dispatches received here it is learned the policy of the Porte tends to awaken the to direct Turkish rule though it is not desirable to challenge the proper exercise of the Sultan's

Advices from Ottawa state that the commanders of the forces in Canada report that the Canadian Militia is deplorably organised and especially the infantry; the artillery they state is defective and the guns of obsolete pattern, and The ocean race between the English ships are partly unmountable and partly not fit to be

WASHINGTON, April oth. free cotton bagging and cotton tie bill.

ST. PETERSBURG, April oth. It is officially stated that the famine in Russia will cost thirty millions sterling and it is expected to cause a deficit of ten millions sterling in the year 1802.

LONDON, April 10th. The Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race yesterday was the fastest on record, the time from Putney to Mortlake being only nineteen minutes twenty-one seconds. The Oxford boat led throughout the course, and won a good race by year "flogging a dead horse" until nothing of two lengths.

Captain Middleton, one of the geniemen riders in the Lords and Commons steeplechase which took place yesterday, was thrown from his horse

MADRID, April 10th. A man named Munor, the leader of the Aparchists, who furnished the bombs which were to have been exploded in the Cortes, has been arrested bere.

CAIRO, April 10th. The Sultan's Firman of investiture will be read on Thursday next. CALCUTTA, April 10th.

Sir Charles Elliott returned to Calcutta from a tour in the famine districts. Owing to serious iliness Professor Van Tassel has had to abandon his balloon voyage to

Bombay for the present. April 11th. Arrangements have now been made at the Cossipore factory for the manfacture of all steel

carriages and projectiles required in India. The Viceroy abandons his intention of opening the Chenab Canal owing to the prevalence of

LONDON, April 12th.

The estimates of Revenue for the current year been sold forward at 4/of per tael, which is 16 amount to £90,477,000 and expenditure to per cent. lower than last May's average rate. I

that since the year 1887, nearly five millions have . The occupants of a house on the Boulevard been expended in Naval detences for which he

here owing to the discovery of a plot to reinstate | trict teas. The loss was very uniform, 30 per

grarchist, authorizing him to obtain 1500 car- An influential meeting of colonists and tridges from the dynamite stores near the bourse. | legislators -was held here to-day at which a | "Oh, that's a new country tear look at the The police are inquiring as to how he obtained board was formed to advise and assist Anglo- infusion, how thick and bright and red it is.

SUNDAY LABOUR IN CALCUTTA.

The following orders have been adopted by the Government of Bengal :-

The Lieutenant Givernor's object is to make it clear (1) that Sunday labour is not to be permitted in the port unless it is absolutely necessary; (2) that when the necessity arises out of the danger of the ship being neaped (a fact which is capable of demonstration from the tide tables) or the state of the weather, permission should always be given; (3) that when other grounds of special urgency are alleged, the permission should be given provided the Collector of Customs is satisfied that the seasons are sufficient (thus preventing anything like a capricious exercise of the power, with which the Collector is vested), and on payment of a heavy

The Curtoms Collector is prohibited from granting permission to work, cargo in sea-going vessels ordinarily on Sunday. He shall, however, give written permission in the following

(1).—When the application to work is supported by a declaration in a prescribed form signed by the owner or agent of the vessel, certifying that the permission is absolutely necessary to enable the vessel to leave the port owing to the state of the river or to the condition of the

(2).-When the application is made on grounds of special urgency, provided the Collector of Customs is satisfied that such grounds are (3).-When the application is made to dis-

charge or load live-stock, ship's stores, ballast, or coal. In case 2, permission shall only be granted on payment of a fee equal to 62 annas on the net registered tonnage of the vessel, subject to a

minimum of Rs. 50 and a maximum of Rs. 200. These orders do not modify those contained in Financial Department Resolution, dated the 24th September, 1888, under which a fee of Rs. 5 (Rs. teo on Christmas day, Good Friday, Queen's Birthday, and the 1st of January) is payable for the services of a preventive officer; such fee will be levied in case II, in addition to the fee prescribed for that case.

SERMO SINENSIS

"Come up to my house for a chat this afternoon if you have nothing better to do. It's raining, business has gone to sleep, and I don't fancy that there is much doing in your line," said the great teaman to me a few days ago.

"OK." I replied, and later in the day found myself in Awai's hospitable mansion reclining in the easiest, of morocco-covered arm chairs. was nearly all of European manufacture and the best of its kind, the walls were covered with the The Treasury to-day purchased 224,000 "silken pictures" so loved of the wealthy native. and there was withal a general sense of those solid comforts which money alone can supply. And the dismai iteration of the rain-drops in the courtyard only tended to make more sensible

the screnity within. Napolcon was not long in making his appearance, and as is his wont plunged at once into the discussion of that great subject about which he is universally admitted to know so much, "But before we go any further," said he, "try one of these smokes. They were given to me as a kind of thank-offering by a chaasse who got a cheap chop of Ningchow out of me last

"Yes, did the tea pay?"

"Not exactly," he replied. - " It only lost od. per lb. and that is saying a great deal. You don't often come across such a sincere case of "Well, Awai, your former delivery on tea

papers, as you had hoped."

"No," said he, "still I was amused at what did appear. First, there came a letter signed Chanse, who commenced by congratulating me on my vigour, and wound up by telling me that I was quite wrong in my figures as to the average cost of last season's crop. I confess : was wrong. I always am. Then a Tea Marchant informs me that he had read my remarks with pleasure and that it has set people talking over what will soon be the business of the hour. And that's all. Finally appears a The House of Representatives have passed the letter signed A.J.L. He doesn't agree with me at all, and with unanswerable logic points out that if the production of India and Cerlon is this year 200,000,000 lbs. it will only make more patent the steadily dwindling consumption of China tes. But I still maintain that China tea can hold its own in the competition i the crop is large and cheap and good. But I dare say that here again I am wrong as usual Further, speaking of the heavy export, A.J.L. adds, For merchants to pursue their trade under its weight is out to go on from year to the carcase is left.' For the life of me I cannot

see the object of flogging a dead horse at any time, but especially from year to year," "Good old horse," I exclaimed, "High old horse," he added. "And by the way," he continued, "a practical

planter tells me in his letter how he arrives at the cost of the Ceylon crop. But I don't place much reliance on his figures, for he omits the serious and all important item of interest on the cost of his estate."

"I see the Russian contingent has arrived Did you get any information from them?" "Not very much, though I gave them a capital dinner and a fine entertainment at our local Rotherhithe. No. they are rather close; but one indiscreet member admitted to me, after his thirtieth cup of hot samsku, that things weren! quite so bad in Russia as they were represented to be, and personally that he took a cheerful view. And here he became lost to my cheerful

view beneath the table." "Well, now that we are within a measurable distance of practical politics, have your views changed at all during the month?"

"I can't say that they have. I hold to the figures I before gave you as to the extent of the In the House of Commons to-night, Mr. | crop and the prices foreigners could not exceed. Goschen made his Aunual Budget statesment | One would have thought that in common with showing a surplus of £1,067,000. For the past | many other crops, tea would have been backward The decision of the lower courts on the assign. year the consumption of tea, and tobacco has this season, But I'm told musters can be in in exchange. Merchanta bills have already

refused 1/0 ... 91d.

celain I sipped something like water bewitched

"What's this ?" I saked.

got no flavour.

"Ah, you have hit it : that is just what the Russians like, pure tea." "Pure hot water," I muttered, as I put down

the soulding liquid. "I see you don't care for the new article. Try | pickings to lie at the mercy of the few who may some champagne out of carthenware." Perhaps it was fancy, but I certainly liked the novelty and thought it increased both the flavour

and the bouquet. Have you seen the China Association's | cured and packed after picking the better, foreign circular on the tea question?" I asked as I rose | tea buyers will not learn of this new departure to leave. "Ob, yes. It was headed 'private and con-

soon became public property. It didn't contain corner the growers, but, if we may use a sporting much that was new. Amongst other sugges- expression, the growers are going to hedge, tions it urged that immediate steps should be Between the two factions, foreigners may be the taken to get teamen to fire the leaf in such a gainers in the end, as far as price is concerned, way as to prevent the recurrence of the tar . Yet another large Chinese Bank has been trouble this season. Just as if a matter like that popened over the bridge, making four new banks. Mercury. could be settled within a fortnight of the com- | since the commencement of the new year. Conmencement of a new season. Rome was not fisidering the admitted unsoundness of business built in a day, and the Chinese move slowly. I all round, we learn of this with some sur-There is one thing, however, that I should prise. The capital of this new bank is said to advise, and that is as soon as the Hankow sea- | be considerable and they will have to use it, son is over the Chasse committee meet, though in what way is not very clear. That draw up a plan of campaign, secure the they will have applications for loans from disgood offices of the present Commissioner appointed teamen is certain, but they must have of Customs here, a persona gratissima with more faith in the future of tea if they accept such the authorities, and then try through the men as customers, when the older banks, well Tea: Guild to obtain the co-operation of the acquainted with the business, decline to loan Taotal. No effective step in this matter can money to them. Of course there are several

"I hope that it will be good for all of us. Meantime I don't think that you will find that I shall be much out either in my facts or figures

my power to attain this end."

SHANGHAI TRAINING NOTES

Chin-chin."-" H. T. W." in N. C. Daily News.

Saturday morning was dull and foggy, with a puffy wind blowing, making it unfavourable for fast times. There was a large number of spectators to witness the "pows," but nothing remarkable was done in the way of time, but the gallops were, it must be admitted, all of a very interesting nature.

The first two ponies I saw on the course were Home Guard (Mr. Pond up) and Bold Heart (boy); they were sent for it miles at a good racing pace, the former, in spite of his beavy weight, having much the best of the gallop and finishing strongly in 3,20, last quarter 33 secs. On this form, Home Guard will be hard to best whenever he starts. Mr. Juan's Kobold and Bouton d'Or travelled 11 miles in 3.27, all out. Quidnunc (a roadster), Mr. Midwood in the pigskin, went for a mile, finishing all over the place in 2.17. Noirmont (Mr. Machado) and Boreas (Mr. Read) were sent for 14 miles for all they are worth, first quarter 29 secs., second 31 secs., one mile 2.12, and the whole distance in 3 20, last quarter 32} secsi, an excellent performance. Mr. Buxey's "crack" griffin Royalist (Mr. Pond) and Rival (boy up) galloped 14 miles, the "crack" running away from his stable companion, and doing the distance in 3.24, last quarter 33 secs. Hats Off (Mr. F. Dalias) was ridden out ? of a mile in 1.38, and this pony should be very near the Trial Stakes. Black Leaf (Mr. Midwood) cantered 11 miles in 2.53, last quarter 33 secs., Renegade a 'sub,' joining in at the mile. Porpoise (Mr. Sampson) went 12 miles in 2.502 secs., last quarter 34 secs. Mr. Sylva's Majestic, going alone, negotiated r miles in 3.202 sees. ; the same owner's Teutonic, I am sorry to hear, is lame, as he proved him-

sail very fast up to one mile last meeting. Mr. Susa's happily-named griffin Mixture, the powed 12 miles, the... first named finishing alone in 2.461 secs., last quarter 32 sec.: a fine performance which shows that In spite of being trained to finish at the Widow's Monument he can reach the Judge's box in good time. Atoner, "poor leedle fellow," was tailed off (give him more salts, and put his feet into hot water before going to bed, Mr. Suss). Leviathan's black griffin Medallion beat his stable companion Thunderbolt 11 miles in 3.21 secs. I am of opinion that Medailion could have done better if he had not been held back in the first part of the gallop; sous

Mr. Sassoon's crack griffin Primrose (Mr. Dallas up) played with Etruria in a 12 mile gallop, finishing strong in 2.45% secs., 33 secs? last quarter. Koh-i-noor and Vintage galloped one mile in

2.16 ; the former has not improved: Mr. Ring's Orange Peel and Filou did a half mile in 60, secs., the cream having the best of

Boyrii (Mr. Rennie) was sent for a mile and a half, finishing in good style in 3,22 secs., last quarter 34 secs. Bloater foined in at the last mile, and I clocked him 41.17} secs. The invalid-Hero cantered 11 miles in 3.181 secs., last quarter 114 socs.

Mr. Mustard's The Pilot (Horse up) 4 of a mile 1.382 ; send him to sea, Harry "Mr. Ring's Katzenjammer galloped to miles 3.25}; Comus and Guarantee went the same distance in 3.23, Guarantee having the best of

Mr. Sassoon's Marigold, Attraction, and Castanet went a mile and a half; Castanet (Mr. Dallas) winning, ridden out in 3,22, last quarter 34 Secs.

Mr. Ring's Kismet and St. Galmier went 12 miles in 2.52} secs., last quarter 34} secs. "The sauguine Mr. Troy sent his Golden Chance 14 miles in 3.25 secs. There is some doubt about the last quarter, the times given varying from 34 secs. to 35 secs. The "pow," however, was

perfectly marvelious! Zephyr showed he had not lost any of his old form by doing 14 miles in 3.104. last quarter 32 secs. Hohessollern trifled with Bagatelle, another of Mr. Sassoon's large stable, in 3.32 for 14 miles. The Hongkong Derby winner Lightning was ridden out in 3.22 for 11 miles. Mighty took 3.25?

for the same distance, last quarter 322 secs. Hollyhock wound up the morning's proceedes by cantering: a mile in 2.14 secs., last quarter 31 secs. This pony is looking much better than he has for come time.—" Vigilant " in N. C. Daily News.

FOOCHOW NOTES.

be some dread.

escaping from the house that we took no account being boted in many places, when she was in cordially invited.

of the number of shocks. Our information as to dook recently, and turned out mostly quite sound. Honghous soil April 1892.

"Well, Awai, as the Americans say, 'It ain't | the time and direction was obtained from a gentleman who noted them at once.

News of the great failing off in advances to the teamen this season seems to have reached the 'tea-districts apace, since we are already assured that growers, instead of allowing all their first be in a resition to buy it on the spot, intend sending large quantities of it down to the Foochow dealers to sell to the local packers. As it is generally understood that the sooner tea is with much satisfaction. Nor will the up-country buyers be best pleased if this move is carried fidential; hence, perhaps, the reason why it so out to the extent talked of, for they had planned to be taken unless the sympathy of the Taotal is other articles of merchandise dealt in at the port enlisted. Of course, I will do the little that ia in on a very large scale, but the trade is in an unsound state, and as the bankers have been "Well, Awai, I hope that you will have a good sufferers with the traders themselves, it is astonishing to hear of so many newbank starting.

Following the gradual advance in the price of rice during the past two months, until general discontent was beginning to be apparent, the Government has wisely thrown open its granaries to the public. During the past week some 8co,000 piculs have been disposed of at the low price of \$2.10 per picul. A proclamation has appeared too, assuring the people that every precaution has been taken to ensure ample suppplies. Orders had been sent to the North for large quantities, and there was no reason to apprehend any scarcity. Dealers are warned in this proclamation that if they are found to be unfairly squeezing the poor they will-be unmercifully dealt with. We made mention in our issue of the 2nd instant of the murmurings in public about the dearness of food, but the opening of the government stores and the tone 14th May. of the official proclamation go to show that the case was far more serious than was generally thought .- Echo.

SOOCHOW

(FROM N. C. Daily News CORRESPONDENT.) 20th April, 1892. An official preclamation has appeared in this city which deserves notice. It is dated the tenth day of the third moon (April 6th), and is directed against two eyils:-

1. - Forging documents purporting to be issued by the Tsungli Yamen. 2.- Defaming, by printed books, pictures and

coems, the western churches It is issued by one of the three district magistrates who reside in Soochow, is not printed from a wooden block, but written; and the penmanship is the worst I ever saw in any proclamation. The language is clear, but mild, The cause of issuance is stated. The German, Minister having repeatedly brought to the potice of the foreign office (Tsungli Yamen) the defamatory. publications. this proclamation is issued to prohibit the printing of such works. Note carefully the fact | having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby that very few of these proclamations have informed that their Goods, with the exception of appeared. I walked along at least three miles | Oplum, are being landed at their risk into the Major's Chance, and the "leedle bonny" Atoner, of streets looking for them and found one only. Godowns of the Wanchal Warehouse and It is safe to say that not one in ten thousand of Storage Co., Id., Wanchai, whence delivery the people knows anything about this proclams. may be obtained. tion. It is a handwriting on the wall that attracts little attention and inspires no terror. There is nothing to be regretted in the fact that so few copies of it have appeared. Numerous copies would merely advertise the obnoxious publications. There is no evidence to show that the people of this city read the books referred to. The people are perfectly quiet. The examinations for both kinds of degrees, civil and military, drew to the city a few weeks ago many thousands of young men. But there was not the least exhibition of anti-foreign or anti-missionary feeling, I have been looking for some sign to show that the Hunan obscenities had reached Soochow. but no such sign has appeared. Nothing relatink to the matter has been noticed except the little whisper contained in the proclamation just

NANKING.

no apprehension.

mentioned, and it is so slight that it need excite

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT). Nanking, April 22nd.

The Viceroy left on the 16th Inst. for Yangchow, via Chinking, and will visit Tsing-kingfu afterwards ; thence he goes to Shanghai, and a naval review will be held at Woosung. Rev. A. F. H. Shaw read a paper entitled "The missionary - his private, public and social On the 15th inst. the Rev. J. C. Fergusson left here, to take his wife to America, on account of her failing health. They were accompanied by Miss E. Shaw, who is returning on furlough, Mr. Fergusson has done good work for the short time he has been in the East, making a good | be registered. beginning for the Nanking University. He hopes to be back in the fall. His wife's ill-health is due indirectly to the riots of last summer, causing, or helping to cause nervous depression. - Mercury.

TIENTSIN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.) TIENTSIN, April 19th, 1892.

There is plenty of water in the Peibo and plenty of money in Tientsin. The first, fact is est proved by the Russian gunboat Steputch. drawing o feet forward and II feet aft, being the City of London, Civil Engineer, having duly mcored alongside the Bund, and the second fact | sent his Petition Specification and declaration is clearly indicated by the necessity of wharf to the Colonial Secretary's Office, intends to extension, as is best shown by a British apply to His Excellency the Governor under Consular notification, which was issued to-day | the provisions of Ordinance No. 2 of 1892, for and reads as follows :-

concession will be held in the Municipal offices | proved Steam Generator. at 10 a.m. on Wednesday the 27th of April next, And further notice is hereby given that His when the following respintion will be submitted Excellency the Governor under the provisions

idea of substituting cotton for tea in several with the erection of additional wharves, and to of the clock in the forenoon, for a Meeting of

instead of obstructing it of which there seems to between France and China, that in case of any railway contracts being given away, France was A slight shock of earthquake was felt here to have the preference. But it seems that in the Strasbourg were startled this morning on being will borrow one million in 1892.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt here to have the preference. But it seems that in the preference are Kinking teas. It's not worth while yesterday morning at 10 a.m. 46 sec. chron. | case of the tenders for 5,000 tons of railway. time. The vibration was from east to west, and I material for the Manchurlan line, which closed the duration about 12 seconds. It is affirmed ton the ast of this month, the contract has gone cent. Try a cup of tea." And from dainty por- by some of the foreign community, as also by to the Fatherland of sourkrant and sausages. many Chinese, that there were two distinct by From Taku I hear that the pilots got a much be held in FREEMASONS' HALL. Zetland shocks. For our clves, we were so alarmed and Libetter bargain with their schooner J. P. Kaighir Street, on THURSDAY, the 3th May, at 5 for busy sunning down stairs with a view to then they expected. The wood was tried by \$30 p.m. precisely, Visiting Brethren are

Several letters have arrived addressed to Tcherg Ki-tong, but he cannot be found. It is stated that they have been written by an enterprising circus agent in Shanghai, to engage Tcheng to exhibit his Chinese generalship in the Wild West Show," It would be a very interesting exhibition, considering that one of the military feats at the examinations of candidates for officers' vacancies is bow-and-arrow practice on horse-back; but it is to be feared that Tcheng

will not be forthcoming for that purpose. There was also a rumour affest here the other day that Tcheng Ki-tong was about to proceed to the Udited States, a fine country, where allver is known to be plentiful, to negotiate that famous 300 million tael loan, which he failed to get out of la Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas, when, alas, cruel Reuter sent that London telegram along that "The U.S. House of Representatives has voted the Bill excluding Chinamen absolutely from the United States henceforth."-Shanghat

DEAFNESS ADSOLUTELY CURED.—A Gentleman who cured himself of Deafness and Noises in the Head, of 74 years standing, by a new method, will be pleased to send full particulars free. Address HERBERT CLIFTON, 8, Shepherd's place, Kennington Park, London, S.E., Eng. -[Advt.

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"NAMOA." Captain Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 1st May, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1802, FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 20th April, 1802.

Port, and will have quick despatch, For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 29th April, 1892.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA. ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG, AND

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THE Steamship "MARIA TERESA"

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

This vessel brings on Cargo :-From Venice, ex S.S. "MILANO," transhipped at Bombay. From Calcutta, ex S.S. "NIOBE," transhipped

From Trieste, ex S.S. "IMPERATOR," transhipped at Bombay. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon,

TO-MORROW, the 30th inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the 5th prox., or they will not be recognized

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 5th prox, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 20th April 1802. A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NIOTICE is hereby given that the ORDI-NARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the HONGKONG On the 12th inst, a meeting of the Nanking | DISPENSARY; on MONDAY, the 9th May next, Missionary. Association was held, when the at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, together with a Statement of Account

to the 31st December, 1891. The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 5th proximo till Tuesday, the 10th proximo, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can

By Order A. H. MANCELL, Hongkong, 29th April, 1892.

LETTERS PATENT. FOR THE MATTER OF ORDINANCE NO. 2 OF 1802. AND THE APPLICATION OF FOUNTAIN

LIVET, THEREUNDER. TOTICE is hereby given that FOUNTAIN LIVET. of 67. Vinsbury Pavement, in LETTERS PATENT for an improved setting A general meeting of landrenters in the British for Lancashire Steam Bollers and for an in-



A MEETING of the above LODGE will

Commercial.

LATEST QUOTATIONS Hongkong and Shanghai Bank .- 95 per cent. prema sellers. The National Bank of China, Ld.-on £5.0.0. paid up,-264 per cent. dis., sellers. The National Bank of China, Ld.-Founders, shares, \$200 per share, buyers.

The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld.— \$6 per share, sales and buyers. The Bank of Chins, Japan & the Straits Ld .-Founders' shares, £25 per share, gellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-21 per cent."

premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-2 per cent. premium, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-14 per cent.

Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$88 per abare, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$6: per share, buyers. North China Insurance-Tis. 255 per share,

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$102 per Yangisze Insurance Association—\$102, nominal. On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 150

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$280 per share, sellers, China Fire Insurance Company-\$83 per share,

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.---\$32} per share, sales and sellers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-30 per share, sellers. Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -- 30 per cent. discount, sellers.

Douglas Steamship Company-\$36 per share, The Steam Launch Co., Limited-nominal. Hongkongand Whampos Dock Company-\$80 per cent. premium, sellers.

Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$143 per share, Hongkong Hotel Company-\$40 per share, Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures

The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited-\$7 per share, sellers. The Shameen Hotel Co., Limited-\$10 per share, sellers.

Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co. -oo cents per share, sellers. The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited-55 cents per share, sellers. Imuris Mining Co., Limited-\$1.75 per share,

The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-Tonquin Coal Mining Co .- \$220 per share, The Jelebu Mining and Trading Co., Limited-\$6.15 per share, buyers.

The Selama Tin Mining Co., Limited-ro cents ger share, sollers. London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ld:-£3.10 sales and sellers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$137.

per share, sellers. Luson Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$35 ror share, buyers. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-216-per share, sales and sellers.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$51 per share, buyers. The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-Sto per share, sellers. The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-

\$60 per share, sellers, The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$22' per share, sellers. The Labuk Planting Co., Limited-\$2 per share,

The China-Borneo Co., Limited-nominal. H. G. Brown & Co., Limited-\$33 per share,; Hongkong, and Kowloon Whatf and Godown

Company-\$51 per share, sales and sellers. Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited-\$104 per share, sellers, Hongkong Gas Company-\$120 per share,

Hongkong Ice Company—\$70 per 'share, sellers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$65 per share, sellers. The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited on the 28th. From Amoy to Swatow had strong -\$10 per share, nominal, The Green Island Cement Co. - \$81 per share

The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$4 ship Hasshin. In Swatow the steamships Nanper chare, sellers... The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited-

\$25 per share, nominal. The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited-\$50 per share, sellers. Bank Bills, on demand ::......2/91

Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 2/9% Credits at 4 months' sight 2/10] Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ON PARIS-Bank Bills, on demand3.50 Credits, at 4 months' sight3.60

On India, T. T.220 On Demand ON SHANGHAI-Private, 30 days' sight721

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE PERMIT MATT. The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Sydney, with the French mail of the 1st instant, left Singapore on the 28th instant, at 5 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 5th prox.

THE INDIAN MAIL " V The steamer Lightning, from Calcutts, left Bingapore on the 24th instant, and may be expected here on the 1st proximo, THE CANADIAN MAIL

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer "Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Yoko "hama, Shanghai and Hongkong on the 27th

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Gauattor, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 25th lustant at 8 a.m. and may be expected here on the list The Navigazione Generale Italiana steamer Bermida, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 26th inst., and is due here on the 3rd proxime. The Ben line steamer Beniedl from (Autwerp and London, left Singapore on the 26th

instant, and is due here on the 3rd proxime. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Tekeran left Bombay on the 20th instant, and may be expected here on the 8th proximo. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Brindits leit

Bombay on the 23rd instant, and may be expected here In the 18th proxim; The China Shippers' Mutual S. N. Co.'s steamer Ningchow, from London and Liverpool passed the Canal on the alth instant, and may Piccional German steamer 874. R. Hate, seth be considered due at Bingapore on or about the 18th proximo.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

Ask, Danish steamer, 682, Revsbeck, 28th April,-Halphong 26th, April, Rice,-A. R. PRESTO, German steamer, 655, J. Jessen, 28th

April,-Touron 25th April, General,-Slemssen & Co. PREUSEEN, German steamer, 2,572, D. Hogemann, 28th April,-Shanghai 26th April, Mails and General .-- Melchers & Co. WM. J. ROTCH, American ship, 1,665, Geo. L.

Bray, 28th April, -San Francisco 7th March. Ballast .- Order. NAMOA, British steamer, 863, H. Bathurst, 29th April,-Foochow 26th April, Amoy 27th, and Swatow 28th, General.-D. Lapraile

TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, J. Bruhn, agth April,—Pakhoi 26th April, and Holhow 27th, General.—Ed. Schellhass & Co. NAMYONG, British steamer, 983, W. Smith, 29th April,-Singapore 21st April, General,-

MARIA TERESA, Austrian steamer, 1,922, Deperle, 29th April,-Trieste 12th March, and Singapore 22nd April, General .-- D Sassoon, Sons & Co.

ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,080, J. Thom, 29th April,-Canton 29th April, General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. GLENESK, British steamer, 2,274, R. Webster,

29th April,-Moji 25th April, Generalardine, Matheson & Co. NANSHAN, British steamer, 805, J. Blackburns 29th April,-Saigon 25th April, Rice and Paddy.—Hop Hing Hong.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Ingraban, German steamer, for Salgon. Formosa, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Moray, British steamer, for Singapore, dec. Mongkut, British steamer, for Swatow. Wakefield, British steamer, for Ilollo. -Dankne, German steamer, for Yokohama. Macduff, British steamer, for Salgon.

departures, April 28, Allair, British bark, for Tientsin. April 29, Changsha, British str., for Canton. April 29, Fu-ping, Chinese steamer, for Canton. April 29, Tetartos, German steamer, for Salgon. April 29, Bantam, Dutch str., for Singapore, &c. April 29, Mongkut, British str., for Swatow. April 29, Moray, British sir., for Singapore, &c. April 29, Guthele, British steamer, for Shanghal. April 29, Formosa, British str., for Swatow, &c. April 29, Ningpo, German str., for Shanghal.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED. Per Ask, str., from Halphong.-16 Chinese. Per Namyong, str., from Singapore. -- 300

Per Prasto, str., from Touron.-2 Chinese. Per Maria Teresa, str., from Trieste, &c.-Dr. Porges, Mr. Robert, and 174 Chinese. Per Namoa, str., from Foochow, &c .- Mr. Moorehead, and 75 Chinese. -

Per Preussen, str., from Shanghal,-Mr. T. Kirby for Hongkong. For Europe.-Consul Muller Beck, Mrs. Thorn, Mrs. C. Ellis, Miss Muir, Messrs. A. Smith, Langemann and family. Per Triumph, str., from Pakhol, &c.-25 Chinese.

Per Nanshan, str, from Saigon,-21 Chinese. The British steamship Gienesk reports that Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$10 per share, she left Moji on the 25th Instant. Had fine further notice. weather.

. REPORTS. The British steamship. Namyong reports that she left Singapore on the aret instant at 4 p.m. Had fine weather throughout.

The Danish steamship Ask reports that she left Halphong on the 26th instant. Had fresh winds from north-east and hazy weather. The British steamship Nanshan reports that she left Saigon on the 25th instant. Experienced light wind and fine weather to North Shoal thence to fort, had fresh, north-east winds and ovezedst sky.

The German mail steamship Preusses reports that she left Shanghai on the 26th instant at noon, and reached Hongkong on the 28th at 11 p.m. Had fine weather with light north-cast winds and sea.

The British steamship Names reports that she left Foochow on the 26th instant. Experienced light north-east breeze and loggy weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 27th, and Swatow porth-east breeze and cloudy weather. From Swatow to port had light north-east breeze and fine but cloudy weather. In Foochow the steamshan, Nanchang, and Canton.

Bost Marce.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Yokohama and Kobe. Per Daphne tomorrow, the 10th instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Yokohama and Kobe .- Per Kong Beng to-morrow, the 30th instant, at ro.30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta.-Per Chelydra tomorrow, the 30th instant, at:11,30 A.M. For Amoy, and Straits,-Per Namyong to-

morrow, the 30th instant, at 0.30 P.M. SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STRAMERS. Avochie, British steamer, 1,055, T. Rowin, 27th April,-Hongay 24th Coals.-Jardine

Matheson & Co. CHANGSHA. British steamer, 1,463, J. E. Williams, 28th April,-Newchwang 15th April, Chefoo 16th, and Swatow 30th, General.—Butterfield & Swire. CHELYDRA, British steamer, 2,417, Cass, 22nd

April, Calcutta , 6th April, Penang 13th, and Singapore 16th, General - Jardine, Matheson & Co. CITY OF RIO DE JAMEIRO, American steamer

3,548, Wm. Ward, 28th April,-San Francisco 5th April; and Yokohama 22nd, Maile and General .- P. M. S. S. Co. DAPHNE, Geiman steamer, 1,395, T. Voss, 27th An April, Singapore 20th April, General. Siemssen Co.

DONAR, German steamer, 2,025, B. Grundmann. 22nd April,-Salgon 18th April, Paddy.-Wieler & Co. Donis, German steamer, 771, T. Ruben, 26th April,-Canton 26th April, General.-Wieler

EMPRESS OF IMDIA, British steamer, 5,003,00. P. Marshall, R.N.R. 28th April Wanacouver oth April, Yokohama dist, fand Shanghai 25th, General.—Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIssac, -Hongkong Government tender. INGRABAN, German steamer, 896, E. Piper, 27th April, Salgon 23rd April, Rice. Wieler

Kong Brno, British steamer, 862, Jackson, 21st April,-Probolingo with April, Sugar,-Butterfield & Swire. MACDUFF, British steamer, 1,882, E. Porter, 25th April,—Nagasaki 20th April, Coal and General - Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Jan Sal !!

NORMANIA; British steam-yacht, \$87, Ri Humphrice, Ath April, - from Shimonoseki. April,-Bangkok acth April, Rice and General Molchers & Co

Hongkong—Steamers Continued.

SIAM, British steamer, 991, J. M. Tulloch, cyth April.—Saigon 22nd April, Rice.—Chinese. Sussex, British steamer, 11,620, 4, F. Holt, 27th April,-Salgon 23rd April, Rice and Paddy. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

TAICHIOW. British steamer, 852, R. Unsworth, 25th April, Bangkok 19th April, and Kohsi-chang 21st, Rice and Timber .-- Yuen Fat

THIBET, British steamer, 1,665, L. M. Wilmer, 27th April,-Bombay oth April, and Singapore 20th April, General.-P. & O. S.

TORRINGTON, British steamer, 1,763, Geo. R. Berwick, and Feb.,-Hamburg, vid Touron 31st January, Coal and General.-Dodwell, VERONA, British steamer, 1,876, F. H. Seymour, 25th April, —Yokohama 16th April, Mails

and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

WAKEFIELD, British steamer, 1,572. Sheldrake, 25th April,-Salgon 21st April, Rice and Paddy.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. WUOTAN, German steamer, 1,016, A. Ott, 26th April,-Saigon aand April, Rice,-Wieler

IKSANG, British steamer, 887, T. R. Galsworthy, 28th April,-Manila 25th April, General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. SAILING VESSELS.

ADOLPH, German bark, 867, Westergaard, 28th April,—Hamburg 17th Dec., General.— head-quarters.
Ambold, Karberg & Co. GAZELLE, German bark, 336, J. Owen, 16th April,-Freemantie roth Feb., Sandalwood, -Siemssen & Co.

ICEBERG, American ship, 1,135, W. F. Treat, 11th April,-New York 15th Sept., Kerosene Oil.—Order. WESLEY, German bark, 240, G. Schnieders, 17th March, Jaluet Marina Islands - pla Yap 3rd Feb., General.—Siemssen & Co. OSEPHUS, American ship, 1,490, Smithwick,

25th Jan.,-New York 14th August, Kerosene KRISTINA NILSSON, German brig, 250, C. G. Boysen, 26th April,-Amoy 20th April Ballast.-Wieler & Co.

SEA SWALLOW, British schooner, 332, Maher, 1 23rd April,-Bangkok 11th March, Timber. SYLPHIDEN. Norwegian schooner, 192, Amundsen, 16th April,-Freemantle 10th March, Sandalwood,-Gilman & Co. WM., H. SMITH, American ship, 1,908, R. B.

Notices of Firms.

Brown, 16th March,-New York 19th Oct.,

Kerosene Oil .- Jardine, Matheson & Co.

NOTICE.

TR. HARRY WILLIAM DICK has CEASED to be a PARTNER in our Firm of W. HEWETT & Co. of Honokong and YOKOHAMA as from the 21st day of April inst. W. HEWETT & CO. Hongkong, 21st April: 1892.

WITH reference to the above, Mr. H. J. SUCH has taken over charge of the BUSINESS of W. HEWETT & Co. of Hongkong as from the gret day of April Inst., until

W. HEWETT & CO. "Hongkong, arst April, 1892. NOTICE.

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